# BROTHERS UNITED AFTER MANY YEARS

Separated When They Were Infants; Had Not Seen Each Other Since.

ON CHRISTMAS EVE

Declare They Will Stick Together Hereafter and Make Way in World Side by Side.

ft orphans when one of them could ly lisp the name of mother, and rated for fifteen years, Join Stone Louis Wyford, met for the first at Doswell, in Hanover county, Christmas Eve and laughed and tilke two girls with sheer Joy they were really brothers and found each other at lasther the street of the work of the wore

when he would be able to come Virginia and meet his long-lost other.

In the meantime, John Stone had so passed a vagrant sort of life. His a good home, and his foster parts loved him as one of their own ish and blood. They wanted him to tend school, but he was anxious to to work, and one day in February, 65, he left Doswell.

He wandered about the country, and orkeid a day and a half in the quaries in Goochland county, where it was knot that he had to give up and go kewhere. Squire Joseph A. Purdie, No. 402 West Marshall Street, a real friend of the Stone family, was tilled in to help trace the boy. He sllowed John twenty-five miles in socthand county in one day, and then st track of him.

Purdie Get Him.

Six months passed and then Mrs. tone received a letter from her adopted to the search. He was located at out the search. He was located at on the search. He was located at on the search. He was located at out the search. He was continued the first order. Examination of the premises showed the particular of the little city, its hat fell off,

the whole household was aroused when prof came that Louis was on his Doswell. He arrived Christe, and John was at the station. I feelings of curiosity and tenpassed through the hearts of ox as they waited for each it was mutual recognition at ght, and the bystanders were to see two boys rush into each arms as if they had never seen ther before.

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Whether or not he used tools usual to inspect the porch from which he effected his entrance.

Daring Attempt.

Mr. Templeman and the others sitting up with the corpse were too dazed

## MANY WANT POE MANTEL

## HAPPY CHRISTMAS REUNION



## *MIDNIGHT ROBBER* BROKE INTO HOUSE AND FACED CORPSE

Friends Sitting Up With Body of Mrs. Hardy Amazed.

## PROTECTORS ARE THERE

But They Do Not Wish to Awake Citizens to Tell Them So.

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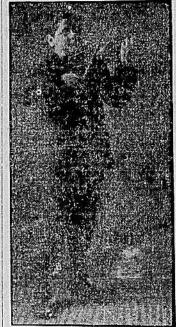
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## Boy Musician Here



of Mr. Stone, 37d then came down to see Mrs. Stone, who is staying at the bome of Squire Purdle, convalescing after a 16rg illness. The Stones were greatly pleased to see the boys required, and they are now as much at low, ie in Doswell as if they had been been made, but the two will never lose track of each other again. At present they are in Doswell, where they will remain at least during the holidays. Louis is twenty-three years old now, and John is twenty—old snough to stick together like the proverblal bundle and to make their way in the world.

Conged to the public.

Among Richmond people, and those throughout the State as well, the lospitation throughout the State as well, the lospitation of his going the three sholds. But the visitor was as much as they, and he did not stand upon the order of his going that has provided and appreciated, and for that a large attendance will be present on Wednesday and he at once notified Major Werner and the police headquarters of the city and attempted to get into communicate they are in Doswell, where they was much disturbed over the affair, they will remain at least during the holidays. Louis is twenty-three years of the county.

The funeral of Mrs. Hardy is to take place to-morrow.

PROTECTORS ARE THERE less, and they went with the officers like lambs to the pasture. Charles Henry, the alleged proprietor, was also charged with running a disorderiv



# BROAD QUESTION MUST BE SETTLED

City Attorney Dissents from Inspector Beck in Matter of Ragland Permit.

MEETING THIS AFTERNOON

Board of Public Safety to Pass Again on Appeal - City Hall Matters.

Inspector Beck is sustained this and in the property-owners on Grace Street Property-owners on Grace Street Property-owners on Grace Street to build, have been notified of the meeting this afternoon, and a large number of them will appear to object to reversal of the Building Inspector's decision. Mayor McCarthy is very anxious to have the courts pass upon the question as a final solution of a rather vexatious problem.

## **BOARD OF CONTROL**

Mayor May Be Member—Councilines Candidates for Positions.

One or two features connected with the proposed charter changes will probably come in for special consideration in Council before the plan is adopted. It has been suggested that the Mayor should be an ex officionember of the Board of Control, primarily because of his close as ociation and necessary familiarity with municipal work. The plan to elect the board by a vote of the people is regarded favorably, although there is a disposition in some quarters to have the first five members named by the Council. In the event of this, however, a Councilman or an Alderman would not be eligible until he had been out of the legislative harness for twelve months.

## TO REPAIR FEEDER WALL

# CHAMPION TENNIS PLAYER, NOW PASTOR, COMES TO RICHMOND



## LAST CALL FOR TAXES

Penalty of 5 Per Cent. to Be Added Unless Paid Before To-Morrow.

Reading Failer Structure.

President Peters has called a special meeting of the Common Council for tonight to concur with the Board of Aldermen in an ordinance appropriating \$18,000 for repairing the settling basin. The actual damage to the structure by high water a few weeks ago was \$6,000, as determined by the experts, but recommendation was made that part of the wall now standing be strengthened, meaning an additional estrengthened, meaning an additional cost of \$12,000. The experts reported that the great majority of the work was excellently planned and executed.

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The new pastor succeeds the Rev. Dr.

I. J. Haley, who has been the pastor of the church for four years, and whose resignation takes effect the first of the year. As already announced, Dr. Haley will go to California to live in order that he may look after some property interests which he has there and devote more of his time to literary work. It is understood that Dr. Haley will supply the pulpit at Seventh Street Church until the arrival of Mr. Maccallelan.

GREAT MEETING HERE

Meny Leading Salvation Army Officials to Assemble in Histograph.

# STATE MUST AID IN FIGHT ON DISEASE

Schedule of Important Bills Prepared for Presentation at Coming Session of Legislature.

POLLUTION OF STREAMS

Vaccination of School Children to Be Made Compulsory-Better Mortality Record Wanted.

Continuing the crusade against con-tagious diseases, the State Board of Health has drafted several bills, which

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